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VICTOR EMANUEL PEREIRA, was.  
FBI #2157349

- and -

EUGENE H. BRADING, was.  
U. S. Marshal, El Paso, Texas #28400

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The U. S. Supreme Court in February, 1954, affirmed the twelve-year convictions of subjects PEREIRA and BRADING who had been sentenced in the U. S. District Court, El Paso, Texas, on charges of ITSP, mail fraud and conspiracy in connection with the swindle of Mrs. GERTRUDE J. JOYCE of Roswell, New Mexico.

On February 23, 1954, the Los Angeles Office reported that PEREIRA and BRADING had been residing in Los Angeles and had left there on February 20, 1954, enroute to Denver, Colorado.

On February 24, 1954, DN-119-C<sup>colo.</sup> reported that he had just been in contact with DONALD PICK, a close friend of PEREIRA and BRADING who operates a jewelry store in the Brown Palace Hotel in Denver, and that PICK told him he had spent the last two days with PEREIRA and BRADING in Denver; and that PEREIRA had left Denver on February 24, 1954, enroute to El Paso, Texas, where he intended to contact his attorney for the purpose of arranging to file motions for reduction of sentence. It was subsequently determined through DN-119-C that BRADING and PEREIRA in conversations in Denver with PICK and MONROE MARKS, <sup>colo</sup> a Denver Attorney, had claimed that they were attempting to raise \$49,000.00 for the purpose of making restitution to Mrs. GERTRUDE JOYCE in hopes that they might thereby be able to secure a reduction in their sentences.

In March, 1954, DN-123-C reported that he had received correspondence reflecting that PEREIRA and BRADING had abandoned their efforts to secure a reduction in sentence and at that time they were both incarcerated in the U. S. Penitentiary at Lewisburg, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH GERROLD GALANTIERE, wa.  
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colo. Calif.

GALANTIERE has been identified in previous surveys as the operator of Jerry's Newsstand, 1657 Welton Street, Denver, Colorado, and has been reported by informants and police sources as a gambler and bookmaker.